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INDIVIDUAL PACKAGE INSTRUCTIONS

The Department of Motor Vehicles is authorized to maintain an information reporting service for driver's license and vehicle registration/title records.

Nevada law requires all requesters to meet the following criteria:

- Complete, sign and date an application for record information.
- Complete, sign and have notarized an affidavit referencing your understanding of Nevada Revised Statute 481.063.
- Submit documentation showing your legal right to the requested information, i.e., work order, court order, bill of sale, accident report.
- Businesses must submit a copy of current business license/permit.
- Private Investigators must submit a copy of their P.I. license.
- Insurance companies must furnish their NAIC number.
- Attorneys must submit documentation showing they are a licensed attorney.
- Submit a notarized release from any person about whom information is requested, i.e., employers requesting driving records on employees. The release must not be dated more than 90 days before the date of request.
- Submit the proper fees with application.
- Governmental agencies are not required to pay fees, but must submit a letter on their letterhead stating the information requested will be used for the sole purpose stated in the application.

If you will be requesting information on a regular basis, you may wish to open an account. If so, please request an account packet by calling 775-684-4590.

Enclosed is an application, affidavit, guidelines and fee schedule for your use and information. Any questions regarding the requesting of Department information may be directed to the Records Section in writing at the above address, by telephone at (775) 684-4590 or website at info@dmv.state.nv.us.



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APPLICATION FOR INDIVIDUAL RECORD INFORMATION

A.	Applicant's Name							
	Pho	ne # ()Fax # ()						
	Address							
B.	INFORMATION REQUESTED (Please mark appropriate box and fill out corresponding section) :							
	Driver's License Information :							
		Information on face of driver's license Driving record :						
		Full name						
		Address						
		Driver's License No						
	Veh	icle Information:						
		Vehicle Registration Verification Vehicle title Vehicle History (Specify registration or title): Registration Title						
		Full Name						
		Address						
		Year Make						
		Vehicle I.D. No (VI N)						
C.	FOR WHAT PURPOSE IS THIS INFORMATION NEEDED?							
	* * * * * I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the information received will not be used for an illegal purpose or unwarranted invasion of a particular person's privacy nor will I release or sell any information received through this application to any other party for use by such party. I agree to indemnify and hold the state of Nevada, Department of Motor Vehicles its agents and employees from any all claims, causes of action, or liability arising from the careless, negligent or improper use by myself, my agents, of any of the information received under this application.							
		Signature of Applicant (Request for information will not be processed without the signature of the requesting party)						



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Being	g first duly sworn under penalty of perjury I hereby state:	_					
a)	I have read, fully understand and agree to abide by the later or adopted regarding the manner in which personal inflicense and registration files and records may be obtained	ormation from the Department of Motor Vehicles driver'					
b)	I understand that any sale or disclosure of information so obtained must be in accordance with the provisions this section. Specifically, that I must keep records of such sale or disclosure for five years for departme inspection, and that such sale or disclosure may only be for a use permitted under law;						
c)	I understand that a record will be maintained by the depart	rtment of any information which I request;					
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RECORD SECTION FEE SCHEDULE

TRANSACTION CODE	SEARCH DESCRIPTION	<u>FEES</u>
D1	DRIVER'S LICENSE INFORMATION	\$5.00
D2	DRIVER'S RECORD INFORMATION	\$7.00
D3	DRIVER'S LICENSE CLEARANCE LETTER	\$6.00
D5	ADDITIONAL MICROFILM RESEARCH	\$3.00
V1	VEHICLE REGISTRATION INFORMATION	\$5.00
V2	VEHICLE TITLE INFORMATION	\$5.00
V3	VEHICLE HISTORY	\$7.00
S2	CERTIFICATION OF DOCUMENTS	\$4.00
S3	PHOTO COPY OF EACH PAGE	\$3.00
S4	TITLE VERIFICATION LETTER	\$7.00

Please make checks payable to the Department of Motor Vehicles **RECORDS SECTION**.

^{*} Governmental agencies are exempt from any fees.



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GUIDELINES FOR RECORD INQUIRIES

This guide is for the most effective use of Nevada records facilities. If you provide us with certain basic information, a record search can be accomplished in a very short period of time.

Identifiers for driver's license inquiries are:

Driver's License Number Social Security Number Name and Date of Birth

Identifiers for registration/title inquiries are:

Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) Registered Owner's Name

- D1 DRIVER LICENSE INFORMATION provides information shown on the front of the driver's license.
- D2 DRIVER RECORD INFORMATION provides information shown on the front of the driver's license and convictions for the past three years.
- D3 DRIVER LICENSE CLEARENCE LETTER states Nevada record is clear to obtain a drivers license in other states.
- V1 VEHICLE REGISTRATION INFORMATION provides the year, make, model, expiration date and registered owner's name and address.
- V2 VEHICLE TITLE INFORMATION provides legal owner's name, address and date title was created.
- V3 VEHICLE HISTORY registration and title information is available for the past ten (10) years on microfilm and microfiche.
- S4 TITLE VERIFICATION LETTER states no Nevada title has been issued to a specific vehicle.

Social Security Numbers are not released. License plate numbers are not released, nor can information be obtained by the presentation of a license plate number; except to law enforcement agencies, governmental agencies processing parking violations, vehicle insurance companies, public administrators, public guardians, public defenders and private investigators. No information will be released when multiple listings are found on a search by name only where no positive match can be established. Limited information is stored in the computer files; therefore, requests for detailed or complete information may take up to ten (10) working days to complete.

FEES ARE AS FOLLOWS:

D1	Driver's License Information	\$5.00	D2	Driver's Record Information	\$7.00
D3	Driver's License Clearance Lette	r \$6.00	D5	Additional microfilm Research	\$3.00
V1	Vehicle Registration Information	\$5.00	V2	Vehicle Title Information	\$5.00
V3	Vehicle History	\$7.00	S2	Certification of Documents	\$4.00
S3	Photo Copy Each Page	\$3.00	S4	Title Verification Letter	\$7.00

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NRS 481.063 Collection and deposit of fees for publications of department and private use of files and records of department; limitations on release and use of files and records; regulations.

- 1. The director may charge and collect reasonable fees for official publications of the department and from persons making use of files and records of the department or its various divisions for a private purpose. All money so collected must be deposited in the state treasury for credit to the motor vehicle fund.
- 2. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 5, the director may release personal information, except a photograph, from a file or record relating to the driver's license, identification card, or title or registration of a vehicle of a person if the requester submits a written release from the person who holds a lien on the vehicle, or an agent of that person, or the person about whom the information is requested which is dated not more than 90 days before the date of the request. The written release must be in a form required by the director.
- 3. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, the director shall not release to any person who is not a representative of the welfare division of the department of human resources or an officer, employee or agent of a law enforcement agency, an agent of the public defender's office or an agency of a local government which collects fines imposed for parking violations, who is not conducting an investigation pursuant to NRS 253.044 or 253.220, who is not authorized to transact insurance pursuant to chapter 680A of NRS or who is not licensed as a private investigator pursuant to chapter 648 of NRS and conducting an investigation of an insurance claim:
- (a) A list which includes license plate numbers combined with any other information in the records or files of the department:
- (b) The social security number of any person, if it is requested to facilitate the solicitation of that person to purchase a product or service; or
- (c) The name, address, telephone number or any other personally identifiable information if the information is requested by the presentation of a license plate number.
- When such personally identifiable information is requested of a law enforcement agency by the presentation of a license plate number, the law enforcement agency shall conduct an investigation regarding the person about whom information is being requested or, as soon as practicable, provide the requester with the requested information if the requester officially reports that the motor vehicle bearing that license plate was used in a violation of NRS 205.240, 205.345, 205.380 or 205.445.
- 4. Except as otherwise provided in subsections 2 and 5, the director shall not release any personal information from a file or record relating to a driver's license, identification card, or title or registration of a vehicle.
- 5. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 6, if a person or governmental entity provides a description of the information requested and its proposed use and signs an affidavit to that effect, the director may release any personal information from a file or record relating to a driver's license, identification card, or title or registration of a vehicle for use:
- (a) By any governmental entity, including, but not limited to, any court or law enforcement agency, in carrying out its functions, or any person acting on behalf of a federal, state or local governmental agency in carrying out its functions. The personal information may include a photograph from a file or record relating to a driver's license, identification card, or title or registration of a vehicle.
- (b) In connection with any civil, criminal, administrative or arbitration proceeding before any federal or state court, regulatory body, board, commission or agency, including, but not limited to, use for service of process, investigation in anticipation of litigation, and execution or enforcement of judgments and orders, or pursuant to an order of a federal or state court.
 - (c) In connection with matters relating to:
 - (1) The safety of drivers of motor vehicles;
 - (2) Safety and thefts of motor vehicles;
 - (3) Emissions from motor vehicles:
 - (4) Alterations of products related to motor vehicles;

- (5) An advisory notice relating to a motor vehicle or the recall of a motor vehicle;
- (6) Monitoring the performance of motor vehicles;
- (7) Parts or accessories of motor vehicles;
- (8) Dealers of motor vehicles; or
- (9) Removal of nonowner records from the original records of motor vehicle manufacturers.
- (d) By any insurer, self-insurer or organization that provides assistance or support to an insurer or self-insurer or its agents, employees or contractors, in connection with activities relating to the rating, underwriting or investigation of claims or the prevention of fraud.
- (e) In providing notice to the owners of vehicles that have been towed, repossessed or impounded.
- (f) By an employer or its agent or insurer to obtain or verify information relating to a holder of a commercial driver's license who is employed by or has applied for employment with the employer.
- (g) By a private investigator, private patrolman or security consultant who is licensed pursuant to chapter 648 of NRS, for any use permitted pursuant to this section.
- (h) By a reporter or editorial employee who is employed by or affiliated with any newspaper, press association or commercially operated, federally licensed radio or television station for a journalistic purpose. The department may not make any inquiries regarding the use of or reason for the information requested other than whether the information will be used for a journalistic purpose.
- (i) In connection with an investigation conducted pursuant to NRS 253.0415, 253.044 or 253.220.
- (j) In activities relating to research and the production of statistical reports, if the personal information will not be published or otherwise redisclosed, or used to contact any person.
- (k) In the bulk distribution of surveys, marketing material or solicitations, if the director has adopted policies and procedures to ensure that:
- (1) The information will be used or sold only for use in the bulk distribution of surveys, marketing material or solicitations;
- (2) Each person about whom the information is requested has clearly been provided with an opportunity to authorize such a use; and
- (3) If the person about whom the information is requested does not authorize such a use, the bulk distribution will not be directed toward that person.
- 6. Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (j) of subsection 5, a person who requests and receives personal information may sell or disclose that information only for a use permitted pursuant to subsection 5. Such a person shall keep and maintain for 5 years a record of:
 - (a) Each person to whom the information is provided; and
 - (b) The purpose for which that person will use the information.

The record must be made available for examination by the department at all reasonable times upon request.

- 7. Except as otherwise provided in subsection 2, the director may deny any use of the files and records if he reasonably believes that the information taken may be used for an unwarranted invasion of a particular person's privacy.
- 8. Except as otherwise provided in <u>NRS 485.316</u>, the director shall not allow any person to make use of information retrieved from the database created pursuant to <u>NRS 485.313</u> for a private purpose and shall not in any other way release any information retrieved from that database.
- 9. The director shall adopt such regulations as he deems necessary to carry out the purposes of this section. In addition, the director shall, by regulation, establish a procedure whereby a person who is requesting personal information may establish an account with the department to facilitate his ability to request information electronically or by written request if he has submitted to the department proof of his employment or licensure, as applicable, and a signed and notarized affidavit acknowledging:
- (a) That he has read and fully understands the current laws and regulations regarding the manner in which information from the department's files and records may be obtained and the limited uses which are permitted;

- (b) That he understands that any sale or disclosure of information so obtained must be in accordance with the provisions of this section;
- (c) That he understands that a record will be maintained by the department of any information he requests; and
 - (d) That he understands that a violation of the provisions of this section is a criminal offense.
 - 10. It is unlawful for any person to:
- (a) Make a false representation to obtain any information from the files or records of the department.
- (b) Knowingly obtain or disclose any information from the files or records of the department for any use not permitted by the provisions of this chapter.
- 11. As used in this section, "personal information" means information that reveals the identity of a person, including, without limitation, his photograph, social security number, driver's license number, identification card number, name, address, telephone number or information regarding a medical condition or disability. The term does not include the zip code of a person when separate from his full address, information regarding vehicular accidents or driving violations in which he has been involved or other information otherwise affecting his status as a driver.

(Added to NRS by 1957, 611; A 1975, 210; 1979, 1118; 1981, 1590; 1985, 686; 1989, 473; 1993, 2479; 1995, 1926; 1997, 65, 312, 2342; 1999, 1932; 2001, 909)

NRS 482.170 Records of department concerning registration and licensing. Except as otherwise provided in NRS 481.063 and 485.316, all personal information in the records of registration and licensing in the offices of the department is confidential and must not knowingly be disclosed by the department.